IN THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended)   A playback device ~~(8)~~ for playback of a media stream from a storage medium ~~(1)~~, the device comprising reading means ~~(3)~~ for reading at least a part of the media stream, a buffer ~~(4)~~ for holding the part of the media stream, a playback unit ~~(5)~~ for consuming the part of the media stream from the buffer ~~(4)~~ at a predefined rate, and control means ~~(6)~~ for controlling the reading of the media stream from the storage medium ~~(1)~~, filling of the buffer ~~(4)~~ and the playback of the media stream, ~~which~~ wherein the control means ~~(6)~~ comprise means ~~(9)~~ for retrieving playback mode control information ~~(7)~~, and means ~~(10)~~ for calculating a buffer refilling time ~~(28)~~ depending on the playback mode control information, wherein the control means are arranged for turning the device in a low power consuming mode for a time interval depending

on the buffer refilling time.

2. (Currently Amended)   A̶ The playback device (̶8̶)̶ as claimed in claim 1, wherein the means for retrieving playback mode control information (̶7̶)̶ are arranged for retrieving characteristic point information and the means for calculating the buffer refilling time (̶2̶8̶)̶ are arranged for calculating the buffer refilling time (̶2̶8̶)̶ depending on the characteristic point information.

3. (Currently Amended)   A̶ The playback device (̶8̶)̶ as claimed in claim 1, in which the control means (̶6̶)̶ are arranged for calculating the buffer filling period (̶2̶2̶)̶ depending on information concerning retrieval of the media stream.

4. (Currently Amended)   A̶ The playback device (̶8̶)̶ as claimed in claim 3, i̶n̶ ̶w̶h̶i̶c̶h̶ wherein the control means (̶6̶)̶ are arranged for calculating the buffer filling period (̶2̶2̶)̶ depending on information about the location of the part of the media stream on the storage medium (̶1̶)̶.

Claim 5 (Canceled)

6. (Currently Amended) A~The playback device ~(8)~ as claimed in claim 4, ~in which~ wherein the control means ~(6)~ are arranged for calculating the buffer filling period ~(22)~ depending on information about the position of a disk head ~(2)~.

Claim 7 (Canceled)

8. (Currently Amended) A method for playback of a media stream from a storage medium by a device, the method comprising the ~steps~ acts of~:~

reading at least a part of the media stream,

holding the part of the media stream in a buffer,

playing back the part of the media stream from the buffer at a predefined rate, ~and~

controlling the reading of the media stream from the storage medium,

filling of the buffer and the playback of the media stream, ~which step of~ and

turning the device in a low power consuming mode for a time interval depending on a buffer refilling time,

wherein the controlling act comprises the sub ~~steps~~ acts of retrieving playback mode control information, and

calculating ~~a~~ the buffer refilling time ~~(28)~~ depending on the playback mode control information.

9.(Currently Amended) ~~A~~ The method as claimed in claim 8, further comprising the ~~step~~ act of calculating the buffer filling period ~~(22)~~ depending on information concerning the retrieval of the media stream.

10.(Original) A computer program product which program is operative to cause a processor to perform the method as claimed in claim 8.

11.(New) The playback device as claimed in claim 3, wherein the control means are arranged for calculating the buffer filling period depending on information from the file system info.